Promotions from II Division to I Division in the Secretariat and extension of the principle to Education Department Tutorial Staff.

*Q.—105. **Sri B. M. SHAMANNA GOWDA** (Retroceded Area–General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the basis on which persons working in the II Division in the Ministerial Establishment of the Secretariat are promoted to I Division;

(*b*) whether the same principle holds good in the case of persons working on the tutorial staff of the Education Department;

(*c*) if not, why?

A.— **The Hon'ble Sri R. CHENNIGARAMIAH** (Minister for Locol Self-Government).—

(*a*) On the basis of seniority combined with merit,

(*b*) Yes, generally, except in the case of vacancies meant for graduates.

(*c*) Non-graduate teachers cannot in the interests of the maintenance of good standards, be promoted to vacancies meant for graduates.

Audit Objections of Rice Mills in Krishnarajanagar Taluk.

*Q.—128. **Sri M. C. SIVANANDA SARMA** (Bangalore District—General).

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the audit objections of each of the Rice Mills in Krishnarajanagar Taluk from the year 1943 to end of 1950 (itemwar and yearwar details to be given);

(*b*) on whom the responsibilities have been fixed and for what reasons;

(*c*) the amount deducted from each of the Rice Mill-owners out of their hulling, handling and transport bills in each month, in respect of such objections till now;

(*d*) the balance yet to be deducted from each one of the Rice Mills;

(*e*) whether the Mill-owners have objected for such deductions and if so, the action taken thereon?

A.—**The Hon'ble Sri T. MARIAPPA** (Home Minister).—

(*a*) Statement appended below.

(*b*) The responsibilities have been fixed on the Mill-owners and the Depot Staff concerned depending upon the nature of the objection and the circumstances of each case, the reasons being generally shortage in stock, short (*iluvari*), misclassification of paddy, excess claims, etc.

(*c*) The millwar recoveries effected are as follows:—

	Rs.	a.	p.
S.B.R. Mills ...	1,279	10	3
K.R.B. Mills ...	1,591	5	4
S.K. Mills ...	646	15	0
S.C.V.D. Mills ...	1,222	15	6
	13,856	7	0
Karnataka Mills ...	140	5	0
Srinivasa Mills ...	106	14	0
S.K.R. Mills ...	114	2	0
S.R.R. Mills ...	634	5	0
S.P.R. Mills ...	1,307	13	9
Santhinatha Mills ...	315	3	9
S.K.P. Mills ...	147	0	0
Monthly figures are not readily available.			

(*d*) *Balance Due.*	Rs.	a.	p.
S.L.R. M'lls ...	849	11	6
R.K.B. Mills ...	1,274	1	6
	190	5	9
S.C.V.D. Mills	13,856	7	0
	655	12	9
S.K. Mills	11,19	7	9
Srinivasa Mills ...	6	5	4
S.K.P. Mills ...	1,292	2	9
S.J.L. Mills ...	1,421	15	3

(*e*) Only S.C.V.L. Mills objected regarding deduction made in the audit and the matter is under correspondence.